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Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 Twelfth Street, S.W. Washington, DC 20554

RE:

## NOTIFICATION OF EX PARTE COMMUNICATION

In the Matters of Telecommunications Relay Services and Speech-to-Speech Services for Individuals with Hearing and Speech Disabilities, CG Docket No. 03-123; and, Sprint Corporation Petition for Rulemaking to Reform the

Commission's Ratemaking Methodology for IP Relay Service,

RM-11820

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On April 4<sup>th</sup>, Sprint Corporation ("Sprint") representatives Scott Freiermuth, Mike Ellis, Todd Williams, and Claudia Gordon along with outside counsel Emily Daniels of Lawler, Metzger, Keeney & Logan, LLC, had a teleconference phone call with Bob Aldrich, Eliot Greenwald and Michael Scott from the Consumer and Governmental Affairs Bureau ("CGB").

The purpose of the phone call was to discuss Sprint's pending Petition for Rulemaking regarding IP Relay service and its related Request for Interim



Waivers.<sup>1</sup> As a follow up to its April 1<sup>st</sup> meeting on this same subject, Sprint provided CGB with additional clarification regarding information contained in its waiver filing. More specifically, Sprint explained line-by-line how the costs in its waiver filing can be tied directly back to Sprint's annual cost filing made with the TRS Fund Administrator.

This filing is made in accordance with Section 1.1206(b)(1) of the Commission's rules. In the event there are any concerns regarding this filing, please contact the undersigned.

Respectfully,

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Cc: Bob Aldrich

Eliot Greenwald Michael Scott

Petition for Rulemaking of Sprint Corporation (filed Nov. 1, 2018), available at: <a href="https://ecfsapi.fcc.gov/file/1101203244827/Sprint%20IP%20Relay%20Rate%20Petition%20-%20REDACTED%20%5BAS%20FILED%5D%20-%2011.1.2018.pdf">https://ecfsapi.fcc.gov/file/1101203244827/Sprint%20IP%20Relay%20Rate%20Petition%20-%20REDACTED%20%5BAS%20FILED%5D%20-%2011.1.2018.pdf</a>. See also, Request for Interim Waivers (filed March 21, 2019), available at: <a href="https://ecfsapi.fcc.gov/file/10321798025208/Request%20for%20Waiver%20-%20REDACTED%20plus%20attachment.pdf">https://ecfsapi.fcc.gov/file/10321798025208/Request%20for%20Waiver%20-%20REDACTED%20plus%20attachment.pdf</a>.